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**WSDOT Construction Activity & Possible Delays/December 18-28, 2003**

**Holiday Travel Alert:** No major construction, lane restrictions, or highway closures are planned for the WSDOT seven-county Eastern Region during the Christmas and New Years' holiday travel period. Narrow shoulders exist on westbound I-90 in the Spokane Valley and long-term traffic revisions remain on SR 290 near Hamilton Street in Spokane. Motorists should always be prepared for severe winter driving conditions at all times plus carry chains and emergency equipment.

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**I-90/Argonne to Sullivan (MP 287-292)-** Depending on weather, excavation off the roadway continues. Westbound motorists should be alert for narrow shoulders. At times, eastbound motorists should also be alert for trucks crossing the eastbound Pines off-ramp with flaggers on the ramp slowing traffic. No work between Christmas and New Years.

**SR 290-Trent Avenue/Spokane River Bridge 290/4 Replacement (MP 0.4-0.6)-** Work continues on this bridge replacement project between downtown and just west of Hamilton Street. Trent Ave. is closed to through traffic between Riverpoint Blvd. and Cincinnati Street. Detours are fully signed. Access to all businesses on Trent is available. This is a long-term closure.

**SR 904/Cheney to Four Lakes (MP 12-16)-**Complete.

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